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ASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Coal Auction—The Lehigh Coal Company will not sell any.

York, Aug 30—Officers of the Lehigh Coal y say they don't propose to sell any coal at ion. The coal dealers to day reduced the per ton below the previous price

ans Robbed in New York.

York, Aug. 30—Rochemener Nichols and two Californians who have been in this two days, were robbed of $700 worth of night, which leaves them in a destitute

Fires.

Aug. 30—The Magnolia flour mills were this evening. Loss $35,000, insured for

Aug. 30—About one o'clock this af the Dayton short line freight depot here with its contents. The fire began among a oil barrels, in an unexplained manner was a substantial brick structure There was an unusually large of freight stored in the building principal [illegible] The loss of freight is vari at from $150,000 to $200,000, upon is very little, if any, insurance. As the railroad company responsible stored in the freight houses four hours, a large part of this loss as most of the freight or three days.

Destroyed.

Aug. 31.—The steamer *Gazelle*, from that the cellar of the Kelly Mine Co. was totally destroyed by fire to- particulars.

C[illegible]al.

Aug. 30.—Paid admissions, 48,416

win the Four Oared Race.

Aug. 30.—The final heat of the was won by the Beaverwycks of crew second. Watkins third.

heat was between McBeath of the Yale, of Union Spring; McGargee, of and Young, of the Malta club. in 12 minutes, 5½ seconds, Mc- others far in the rear.

oared contest the Beaverwycks of Al- Rowing Club of England, and Boat Club of New York, kept well to- leading off. At Porter's the Lon- rowing in magnificent style, The Beaverwycks, with quick to their metal, and un- was passed it was impossible to tell which won. The Ameri- was, however, proclaimed by the um- the Beaverwycks colors and steam time 9:04, Londoners a half second 9:05½. The London crew ing that the other boats forced their course. The claim was disallowed ylvania boat club and Porter University, contested the third heat of the won easily. The fourth and won respectively by Mengers of the and Frank Pleasanton, their oppo- withdrawn. The prize won by the silver cup valued at

National Rifle Team.

Dakin, Farwell, Webber, Fulton, Hall, and Allen were chosen to day to United States at the approaching in- rifle contest.

Saratoga Races.

Aug. 30.—Planter won the 2:29 race to- Time, 2:27¼, 2:24¼, 2:26, 2:27. In Sam Purdy took 2 heats, Adelaide, 2; each. Time, 2:22¼, 2:22, 2:23¼, The race will be finished to-

Bankrupt.

Aug. 30. Gi[illegible] W. Woodsell, a promi- was to day adjudicated a Liabilities $100,000; The failure was owing to of real estate.

Convicted of Murder.

Aug. 30—Allano Lavos, the poisoner, of murder in the first degree.

Yellow Fever.

Aug. 30.—The yellow fever here is not have been only 39 cases during the

of the New Loan

A special from London to Agency states that the pres- per cent funded loan was is- the Rothschilds for themselves and being 103¼. Subscriptions here and in this country to mor-

Year's Cotton Crop.

the cotton crop for 1876 places bales, against 3,827,000 bales for

at and Loss of Life.

Aug. 30.—Advices from Hayes City, burst in Kill creek valley, Saturday evening, and flooded in about fifteen minutes. Houses, went away Mrs Boughton and and Mrs. Green were drowned.

t Rainfall.

Aug. 30—A tremendous rain- In 30 minutes the streets were like and residences were track of the Cleveland, Columbus & was washed out at Morefield and the engine and baggage car of passenger train were ditched

Declares for Tilden

Aug. 30—Ex-Gov. D. P. Lewis, of Governor by the Republicans in in the election of 1875, has writ- committing the administra- government to Tilden He declares that reforma- of reconstruction is as in any other branch and that in the present can- party is on a plane that entitled The Republican theory of by military force and terror has while Southern birth and resi- war seems to furnish a sufficient of men of national sympa- in the administration of He sees nothing in the future of the party which promises any hopes to a national and conservative sen- that the practices and opin- in order and peace are disturbed public rebuke and punishment, and against the recent order by the President, stationing in the Southern states with a the people and control their by the bayonet to take the by the ballot is an outrage the condemnation of all who love and hate despotic power.

The Negro Riot.

Aug. 30.—About 20 citizens going last night's trouble with the negroes of armed negroes, who hastily generally not visible. Apprehen- subsided, but a feeling of in- prevails. Measures purely pacific have for the prevention of further out

New Orleans special says: Very come from Monroe, La., from of the usual tenor that the negroes are in arms against the whites furnished to the associated press last from McCranie, editor of the Ouchita of the Democratic State Cen- The only person killed so far Republican, Dinkgrove. There is tive testimony that the white not wholly in the right.

to the New Orleans *Republican* says: On noon, at a barbecue, four miles below white and a colored man disputed, but results. That night and until Mon- of whites patrolled the road near No disturbance occurred until Monday when the houses of T Garrett Jr, nine miles and of David Faulk, twelve miles fired into by unknown parties nobody Sheriff Hamlet with a deputy visited day and found everything quiet, that the colored people generally had aban- homes and were sleeping out. A band whites went there soon after and a with the blacks resulted in their return- and confidence being apparently re

Diabolical Murder.

B. B. Lunkroge, formerly sheriff tax collector of the parish was killed by man, who met him in the road while with a friend and emptied the contents into his side, inflicting a wound which two hours afterward. The murderer This affair is believed to be entirely dis- with politics.

The Sioux Peace Commission.

Aug. 30—The peace commissioners to-day, and will leave for Red Cloud to They will arrive there just after the cen- now being taken, is completed. The Chey- who were the first counted, numbered only in the camp.

B[illegible]on Wool Market.

Aug. 30.—The wool market presents the tone. No improvement in prices has but no considerable purchase of fine could be made except at a further advance stocks are in few hands and held quite and still continues for desirable Sales of medium and Ohio at 40c; XX at 40@42½c, XXX at 42@43½c; Wisconsin and Michi- and firm at these prices, combing and delaine firm at 40 a 4[illegible]c, fine delaine [illegible]0. Combing stocks are offered sparingly at these prices. California continues in demand as supplies are rapidly disappearing; sales at 16@18c for spring. Some most desirable lots are not offered. Pulled has been unsteady with a moderate demand, and sales at 28@40c for super and X, as to quality.

POLITICAL CONVENTIONS.

New York Democratic Convention.

SARATOGA, Aug 30—Noon—The Democratic convention is now assembling. The delegates are generally here. At this hour everything is at sea regarding the gubernatorial nomination. Hewett is out of the race because found ineligible by reason of too brief residence in the state since his removal from New Jersey. Clarkson and Patterson have little open backing. Dorsheimer, relying on Tilden's reputed promises, is confident, but the outside feeling is that his nomination would be fatally weak. The strong pressure is to nominate Seymour regardless of his declination and is restrained only by the reflection that if he should persist in his refusal to run the filling of the vacancy would fall on the State committee, which delegates dislike to trust with that authority. The under current of the conviction is that Tilden holds the balance of power in the convention, and has selected his candidate, but will name him to his workers only as the balloting is about to begin, in order to prevent combinations against him, which are threatened as a means of quietly rebuking the Governor's course. The Tammany difficulty having been compromised, there is little room for public disharmony in the convention, but there is certainly a large number who will jump at any opportunity short of bolting to notify the Governor of their resentment. Manton Marble's friends profess much confidence, but unless he shall prove to be Tilden's choice his run before the convention promises to be far short of his merits.

At 12:15 P. M., the convention was called to order and Rufus Peckham elected temporary chairman. After a brief address by the chairman, the usual committees were appointed and the convention took a recess until 7 o'clock.

The adjournment of the convention until to-night was effected by the arbitrary decision of the temporary chairman, nearly against the majority, in order to give the Tilden men more time for consultation, and in hope of getting Seymour to accept the nomination. The Tilden men manifested their sentiments by feeble applause for John Morrissey when the name of that violator of law was called. The anti Tilden men responded by greeting Kelly's name with a startling electric outburst of cheers. There was no mistaking the significance of the demonstration.

Upon reassembling Harrison Gray was chosen permanent chairman. Horatio Seymour and John Kelly head the electoral ticket. The platform starts out with a cordial ratification of Tilden and Hendricks. It declares that a return to the constitutional principles, frugal expenditures and administrative purity of the founders of the republic is the first and most imperious necessity of the times, and is the commanding issue now before the people of this Union. It reaffirms the principles set forth in the Syracuse platform of 1874 and the St Louis National Convention, condemning all interference with constitutional amendments and all violations of laws.

The convention then voted to nominate for Governor William Dorsheimer, the present Lieutenant Governor, but his name was no sooner announced than there were loud calls for "Seymour," "Seymour." The ex-Governor was then nominated.

The following dispatch was received by Francis Kernan:

"You must not let my name be used; my health will not permit. HORATIO SEYMOUR."

Clarkson N Potter and Lucius Robinson were also nominated; but the delegates placing their names before the convention were constantly interrupted by cries for "Seymour." Finally a motion was made to rescind the previous resolution to go into nominations for Governor and to nominate by acclamation Horatio Seymour, and the convention to adjourn until to-morrow. The motion was carried unanimously, and amid the wildest applause at last Seymour was nominated by acclamation. A committee was appointed to inform Mr. Seymour of his nomination, and the convention adjourned.

Seymour and Church Decline to be Nominated.

SARATOGA, Aug. 30.—Horatio Seymour, in response to pressing appeals to accept a nomination for Governor by acclamation, peremptorily declines, principally on account of ill health. Judge Church is understood to be testily peremptory in saying no to those who ask him to be Tilden's stalking horse in the coming campaign.

Mr. Apgar, who carried Seymour's nomination and an adjournment until to-morrow, is a well known political agent of Tilden. He of course was impelled by a desire to secure time for further conference of Tilden men before proceeding to ballot, as the demonstrations of dissatisfaction with Dorsheimer's nomination were so threatening that the anti Tilden men were sure to beat it with Potter. It is now hoped Seymour will accept and carry out Tilden's original programme as announced two weeks ago, to-wit: to resign to go into Tilden's cabinet if the latter is elected, and thus leave the governorship to Dorsheimer, who will undoubtedly be renominated Lieutenant Governor if Seymour stands. While the original Tilden men control the convention nominally, their hold is slight. Kelly and his followers, while standing by the Democratic organization, evidently are determined to make the Governor feel their resentment. The sympathy of the convention is with them in this and so far as it can be safely gratified is unmistakable. The signs do not promise a hearty, harmonious Democratic canvass.

The spirit which dominated in the convention prevails in the hotels to-night, and delegates seem determined to force the nomination of Gov. Seymour.

Little Enthusiasm for Tilden in New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Speaking of the speech of the chairman of the Saratoga convention, the *Tribune's* special says the references to Tilden were received with a faint demonstration of favor, as though it was their duty to applaud the old gentleman's name. But, after all, it did not amount to much. I venture to assert that no presidential candidate's name was ever mentioned under such circumstances in a convention of his own party in his own State, without exciting more enthusiasm from his followers.

New Jersey.

NEW BRUNSWICK, Aug. 30.—The Republican State Convention met here to day. Prof Geo. W Atherton of Rutger's College was chosen temporary chairman, and the convention took a recess until 2:45 P. M.

Connecticut.

NEW HAVEN, Aug. 30.—The Republican State Convention met here to day. Gov Jewell was chosen permanent chairman. The convention nominated the following electoral ticket at large Theodore Bradbury of Yale College and Hon. Marshall Jewell. The old ticket was nominated, as follows: Governor, Henry C Robinson, of Hartford. Lieutenant Governor, F. J Kingsbury of Waterbury; Secretary of State, Gen F A Walker of New Haven; Treasurer, Jeremiah Olney Thompson, Comptroller, Eli Curtis, of Watertown.

The platform protests against the fraud, intimidation and violence by the Democratic politicians in the reconstructed States, declares for reform in the civil service, protests against the repeal by the Democratic House of the resumption clause, declares for generosity and good will to the people of the South; but protests against rewarding rebellion and treason.

Iowa.

DES MOINES, Aug. 30—The Democratic State Convention met this morning and was called to order by E Campbell. Col W. W Merritt, of Montgomery, was elected chairman. Committees were appointed as usual, and the convention took a recess.

On reassembling, the convention elected D F Miller chairman and D Walker secretary. Mr Miller in a long speech arraigned the Republican party for its infidelity to the trusts invested in it, and charged on it all the evils which afflict the nation. S. Parvin, of Iowa City, from the committee on resolutions, offered a resolution, which was adopted, that the platform of the St Louis convention be adopted by this convention and approving the sentiments of Tilden and Hendricks as expressed in their letters.

The Democratic Congressional Convention of this district has nominated Sam I J Golph.

Wisconsin.

SHEBOYGAN, Aug 30—At the Democratic Congressional convention fifth district, to day Edward S. Bragg, of Fond du Lac was nominated over Samuel Burchard present representative.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug 31—The Republicans of the second district, to day nominated George K Nast, of Columbus for Congress.

Prohibition Reform Convention.

TRENTON, N J Aug 30—The Prohibition reform party of New Jersey in convention to day ratified the nomination of Green Clay Smith of Kentucky for President and Gideon T Stewart of Ohio Vice President. An electoral ticket was chosen and the Democratic and Republican parties denounced as favoring the liquor interest.

Greenbacker's Ratification Meeting.

NEW YORK Aug 30—The Independent party had a grand ratification meeting to night in Cooper's Institute. Peter Cooper and Sam. F Carey the nominees of the party were present. The speeches and resolutions heartily endorse the platform of the Indianapolis convention and protest against the acts of the secretary of the Treasury, who by operating through a syndicate is about to issue long bonds of the government bearing an exorbitant rate of interest.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Compensation for Carrying the Mails.

WASHINGTON Aug 30—The special commission appointed to examine into and report upon the compensation to be paid to the railroad companies for carrying the mails have organized.

The 4½ Per Cent. Loan Bonds Nearly Ready for Delivery.

WASHINGTON Aug 30—The new 4½ per cent loan bonds are being rapidly prepared in the bureau of engraving and printing at the Treasury Department, and on Tuesday next the first installment amounting to about $10,000,000, will be turned over to the Register for issue.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

No Peace Yet.

VIENNA, Aug 30—It is asserted Montenegro did not intend to join Servia in suing for mediation and did not agree to the course taken by Prince Milan, but Prince Nicholas has informed Milan that he (Milan) need consider himself no longer bound to keep the agreement made at the beginning of the war that neither should separately enter on negotiations for peace.

Cellsana, the Montenegrin official newspaper, publishes an article rejecting foreign mediation, and declaring that Servia and Montenegro will not abandon the conflict until the Sclavonic provinces are completely freed from the Turkish yoke.

The Eastern War.

RAGUSA, Aug 30—It is reported a battle was fought yesterday at Podgoritza, but details are wanting. Djelaleddin Pasha's command, including 10 guns, has reached Trebinje unopposed.

Jealous of Russian Influence.

A dispatch from Belgrade says the keenest anxiety is felt to hear of an armistice. Every delay increases the danger of the war spreading. The Servian army is fast becoming a Russian auxiliary force fighting on Servian soil. Russians are exposing themselves in the brunt of battle with remarkable valor. Out of 68 who fought as a company at Alexinatz, 30 were left dead on the field. The Servians are becoming jealous and are afraid of the Russians. They feel the control of their army is slipping from their hands and they will joyfully accept peace if it can be obtained on good terms. The seven days' fighting before Alexinatz has been greatly exaggerated. It is estimated that the entire Servian loss is only 500 killed and about 2,300 wounded. No lists of killed and wounded have been published here since the beginning of the war.

The Porte Expected to Refuse the Armistice.

It is generally expected the Porte will refuse the armistice. The police yesterday discovered a number of copies of the Turkish proclamation issued August 17th, inviting the Servians to submission and offering protection to those submitting. The proclamation declares Prince Milan and his ministers only revolutionists, and that they alone would have cause to expect rigorous treatment.

Anxious to Capture Alexinatz.

BELGRADE, Aug. 30.—The Turks keep up their attack on the Servian lines near Alexinatz in order to capture the place before a plan of mediation is adopted. Russian influence is stubbornly interposing obstacles to peace, and Russians are swarming into Servia. Efforts are now making for a six weeks armistice. If successful, the Servian army at the end of that time, by organization, influx of foreign officers, and with their experience under fire, will be stronger than at the beginning of the war.

Russian Diplomacy.

BERLIN, Aug. 30.—In German political circles a belief is expressed that Prince Milan's request for mediation is only another move in the policy of Russia, to protract the Turkish complication, so that she can complete her own preparations.

European Peace Conference—The Powers not Agreed.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 30.—Material difficulties appear in the conference of the Powers with reference to mediation. Austria and England desire peace; Russia an armistice only. The Porte is willing to make peace, but is opposed to an armistice.

Gladstone on Bulgarian Atrocities.

LONDON, Aug. 30.—Gladstone, in reply to an invitation to participate in a public meeting to protest against the government's course regarding Bulgarian atrocities, says: Writing on a subject like this, which appeals so distinctly to my deepest feelings, and where our information on details is still far from full, I should have been glad if the whole duty of expressing the views of the British nation could have been left with safety in the hands of the government, but the manner in which it was treated by the head of the ministry and House of Commons was so inadequate and unsatisfactory, that I cannot but think it well that the people should seek opportunities to speak for themselves, and should assist the administration to judge whether it is right that by a re establishment of *status quo* in Bulgaria, opportunities should be given its governors for a repetition of recent outrages when they may see occasion.

Indemnity for Liberated Spanish Slaves.

MADRID, Aug. 30—The Governor of Porto Rico has been officially notified of a royal decree ordering the issue of indemnity bonds to the owners of liberated slaves.

Dom Pedro to be Initiated a Member of the Society of Political Economy.

The Emperor of Brazil is shortly expected here. During his sojourn he will be received into the membership of the society of political economy. King Alfonso will preside.

Silver.

LONDON, Aug 31—Silver 51⅞, consols 96⅛, Bonds, 10-40s, 107; new 5s, 107, Erie, 10⅛, N. Y. C., 97.

The Empress Eugenie Settled for the Winter.

LONDON, Aug 31.—A dispatch from Rome reports that the Empress Eugenie is permanently established for the winter in the villa of Grand Duchess Maria of Russia in that city.

THE TERRITORIES.

Freight goes from Walla Walla to Wallula, on the railroad, for fifty cents per ton.

Bro. Newell, of the *Statesman*, will deliver the annual address of the Walla Walla Fair.

Val Wildman, of Seattle, was indicted by the King county grand jury for running a lottery, and in due time will be tried therefor.

The establishment of a land office at Colfax will leave the Walla Walla office with comparatively little to do. The majority of the new comers now find homes in the Palouse country, and beyond, and will transact their business at Colfax.

The King County Democratic Convention, held at Seattle last Saturday, elected Messrs Freeman, Knowlton, Emery Collins, Ransom and Murry delegates to the Territorial Convention, and expressed a preference for Wm Pickering for joint councilman.

Parties over from the Yakima country have exhibited to the *Union* some specimens of rich looking gold quartz, recently discovered on Peshastin creek, a tributary of the Wenatchee. The ledge has been traced three miles. The discoverers are working three arrastras and cleaning up a good yield.

The Dayton *News* says: With the completion of the assessment roll and an estimate made of the expenses of the county for the remainder of the year, it is ascertained that Columbia county will not only be out of debt with the collection of this year's taxes, but there will be a surplus in the treasury.

The Walla Walla *Statesman* gives the following as the experience of a man in sheep raising: In 1874 he bought 800 head of sheep. From this flock he sold the first year's wool to the amount of $500, and had 500 lambs. In 1875 his wool clip netted him $1,200 and he had 680 lambs. For the present year his wool clip, at the low figures that now rule, will give him $1,600, and he has 975 lambs. During this period he has improved his stock by the introduction of thoroughbred rams and has so worked up his stock that he is now offered at the rate of $2 each for his lambs. From his original investment in 800 head of sheep he has from all sources made $3,500 in money, and his band has increased to 2,600 head.

Mr Richard Wells showed the *Telegram* some alum which had been taken out of a vein on his father's place about a mile below Buena Vista. The vein on the river bluff is about 20 feet long and 5 inches thick, and is very strongly impregnated with alum. Another vein of what is supposed to be borax was also discovered at the same place. Mr. Wells, at the time of this discovery was prospecting a fine vein of potter's clay, said to be the finest in the United States.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Ophir 56½, Mexican 31½, B & B 50½, G & C 15½, California 60½, Savage 20½, Con Va 58, Chollar 96, H & N 12, Point 13, Jacket 32½, Imperial 5½, Kentuck 11, Alpha 52½, Belcher 23½, Confidence 18½, S Nevada 14½, Utah 22, Bullion 10, Exchequer 18½, Overman 75, Justice 28½, Succor 80c, Union 14½, Lady Bryan 50c, Julia 9, Caledonia 8½.

EVENING BOARD.—Valley 1, R & E 7, Eu Con 12½, Jackson 4, Knickerbocker 5, Prussian 1, Leopard 9½, Jefferson 1, Gila 80c, Panther 1, N Belle 22½, Hussey 4, Thomas 24, Manhattan 16, Mansfield 1, Modoc 5½, Coso Con 28c, N Coso 24, G Chariot 1, Poorman 40c, Globe 20c, Knickerbocker 70c, Baltimore 21, S Hill 10½, Challenge 4½, Dayton 6, R I 1 70, N Y Central 2, Occidental 5½, Alta 5, Woodville 1½, Mint 1, Washington 3½, Cosmopolitan 45c, N C Va 1½, Leviathan 4, Kossuth 1, Andes 24, Fargo 40c, Ward 14, Prospect 7, Maryland 4, Trojan 1, W Belcher 2½, H & N 12, Virginia 1, Point 12½, Jacket 30½, Savage 21, Alpha 52½, Belcher 23½, California 59, Mexican 33½, S Nevada 15, B & B 49½, Overman 75, Exchequer 18½, G & C 15½, Con Va 56½, Justice 28½.

Loss by the S. F. Fire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—More complete information places the losses by the recent fire in the neighborhood of $650,000, on which there is an insurance of $145,000. On the authority of the *Coast Review*, insurance organ of this city, the number of buildings burned is 88, and the fire covered a space of about 10 acres.

Believed to be the work of Hoodlums.

It now seems evident that the conflagration was the work of incendiaries, and circumstances render it almost certain that it was started by a crowd of hoodlums to get even with the proprietors of some of the destroyed manufacturing establishments who employed Chinamen. The watchmen on the premises say the fire was discovered by them in half-a-dozen places at once in rear of buildings, starting among shavings and other inflammable material. When the stone works in the neighborhood were burned some time ago, a man came to Mr. Merritt, the engineer of Korbel's mills, and said to him, "You employ Chinamen in your place, don't you?" Mr. Merritt said "yes, some," then the man said "Your place shall go next." Conversations overheard between a number of hoodlums during the progress of the fire lead to the same conclusion. While the fire was in progress, yesterday morning, a fellow was caught attempting to set fire to a hay barn on Townsend street. The crowd took him out with the intention of hanging him; but he managed to effect his escape. Much complaint is made of the depredations of gangs of ruffians during the progress of the fire, who stole and destroyed much property. The insufficiency of the water supply was evident, and came near causing far more serious conflagration. Workmen were busy all day yesterday in pulling down dangerous chimneys and brick walls, and preparing the ground for rebuilding.

The Submarine Cable between Oakland and San Francisco Broken.

The experiment of the Western Union Telegraph Co. of laying a cable across the bay to Oakland wharf has been thus far unfortunate. The cable ceased working last Saturday. To-day it was taken up and found to have been broken by the anchors of some ship about a quarter mile from this shore. The cable will be relaid at once.

Smallpox Breaking out Afresh.

Nineteen new cases of smallpox were reported on Monday, fifteen yesterday and five this morning. The most of these cases are only a mild form. Five deaths from the disease occurred yesterday and two Monday.

Identified.

The little boy killed yesterday afternoon by the fall of the chimney in the burnt district has been identified as David R. Galeus, a Mexican lad.

Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30—The California Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children filed its articles of incorporation to-day. The directors are Charles Clayton, Horatio Stebbins, Jas. M. McDonald, Joseph M. Winans, Wm Sherman, Jacob T. Davis, Chas. Sontag, Gilbert Palache, Eugene Casserly, William Norris and Ira Rankin. The Society is in all respects similar to the one which has existed in New York for the past 16 months, whose roll of membership contains over 500 names of leading citizens of New York.

Burglars Captured.

The police have been successful in capturing the burglars who on last Sunday night robbed the fancy goods store of M. A. Wolf, 820 Market street. The goods stolen consisted of velvets, shawls, underwear and dress goods, and were worth over $2,000. The names of the parties arrested are Jenny Wolf, Pat. McNamara George Welesby, Bertha Hegel, Thomas Sullivan and Chas Keller. One of the party has informed on the rest, and the goods are being discovered every hour. Sullivan and Keller are ex-convicts. A portion of the stolen goods was found in the possession of the two women above mentioned.

Political Tax Levied.

Within the past two days every deputy in the city hall, holding under Democratic officers, has received a circular signed by the secretaries of the Democratic State Central and County committees, levying upon him a tax of 10 per cent of his salary for the next ensuing three months to pay campaign expenses. The total will foot up $10,000. One significant fact in connection with the above circular, is that the secretary of the county committee, M. J McGrath, who is also assistant register clerk of the 15th district court, professes to know nothing of the manner in which his signature came to be attached to the demand for election expense contributions.

Caledonia Mining Co. Assessment.

The Caledonia Mining Co has levied an assessment of $1 per share, delinquent in the office on Sept 30th.

Knickerbocker Mining Affairs.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30—At a meeting of Knickerbocker stockholders, called by Judge S S Wright under the provisions of the civil code, to day, the dissatisfied stockholders succeeded in ousting the old board of trustees and elected R. N. Graves, Joseph Clark, Grove Adams, Jas Cahill and F A. Frilo. There were 55 305 shares represented, all but five being for the dissentients, the old management making no more opposition than sufficient to afford grounds for a legal contest before the court where the matter will be carried.

Trial Trip of the Geo. W. Elder.

Geo W. Elder, the new iron steamer for the Oregon trade, has been handsomely refitted, and to day made a trial trip on the bay with a favorable result. She will leave here Saturday next on her first trip to Portland.

Shooting Affray

LOS ANGELES, Aug 30—A shooting affray occurred to day between Santiago Arguella and Jose Yorba two well-known Californians. It appears an old feud existed between them. Yorba was shot twice in the left arm, one shot going through the wrist, the other penetrating near his elbow. He was taken to a surgeon where his wounds were cared for. Arguella was arrested and held in $2,000 bail to appear before the grand jury, now in session. The witnesses claim that Arguella shot Yorba while his back was towards him.

Robbed while Drunk.

A man named Bell was robbed of $50 last evening while in a state of intoxication. Detective Harris succeeded in arresting one of the robbers named Lynch and recovered $25.

Southern Pacific Railroad.

Only ten miles of the track yet remains to complete the Southern Pacific Railroad to Los Angeles.

Fire.

BENICIA, Aug. 30—Last night the tannery of McBain & McDougle, now occupied by Brown & Chisholm, was burned to the ground, destroying everything with the exception of about 100 hides, with about half of what remained in the vats. The loss is covered by insurance. Fire supposed to be an incendiary.

NEVADA.

An Attempt to Throw a Train off the Track.

PALISADE, Aug 30—An attempt was made yesterday afternoon to throw the East bound passenger train from the track some three miles west of this town, by turning a switch. The locality is known as Sand Cut, and is one of the most dangerous points on the road, bordered on one side by a mountain of rock and on the other by the Humboldt river, some eighty feet below. But for the low rate of speed made necessary by the steep grade the whole train would have been precipitated into the river and the loss of life fearful. Two San Francisco hoodlums who were put off the train were doubtless the perpetrators of the outrage, as the section foreman says they were the only persons passing in either direction during the day. Those youths are in confinement here and will be held in the hope that some tangible proof may be obtained which will lead to their conviction. The train was detained only a few hours and no one was injured.

Accident at Ophir Mine.

VIRGINIA CITY, Aug. 30.—An accident occurred about 9 o'clock last night at Ophir, which damaged their machinery about $1,000. The cage which was being lowered in the south compartment caught about 1,100 feet down, where the swelling earth contracted the guides of the shaft; the cable being still lowered about 400 feet ahead on the cage, fell over into the central compartment just as the central cage was coming up. This becoming entangled in the cable, put such a strain on the machinery that the ten-inch coupling of the reel shaft broke, and the reel was shattered to fragments. The cable thrashed about the works, shattering timbers on every side, and then fell down the shaft. No one was hurt, and the hoisting was resumed at noon to-day.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Bad News from Cassiar Mines.

VICTORIA, Aug. 29—The steamer *Grappler*, from Wrangel, arrived this morning, bringing about sixty passengers. Miners from Cassiar say the news from the mines is discouraging. No new strikes are reported. It is expected many of the miners will leave shortly. The *Grappler* met the *Amethyst* and *Douglass*, with the Governor General's party, at noon on Sunday in Queen Charlotte Sound, bound north.

Entertainment in Aid of Widows and Orphans.

The seamen and marines of H. M. S. *Fantom* will give an entertainment this evening at the theater in this city, in aid of the widows and orphans of the victims of the recent catastrophe on H. M. S. *Thunderer*.

The steamer *California* from Sitka and Wrangel is expected here about Thursday.

Serious Accident.

Senator Cornwall, while riding from Yale to his residence at Ashcroft, had one of his legs broken, Monday.

A HUNDRED YEARS AGO.

In "Men and Women in America Two Hundred Years Ago," the marksmanship of the men who filled the American ranks, and the deficiency of the British regular troops in that particular, is illustrated by many anecdotes drawn from both English and American sources. A correspondent of the old Virginia *Gazette* told this story:

"One of the gentlemen appointed to command a company of riflemen, to be raised in one of the frontier counties of Pennsylvania, had so many applications from the people in his neighborhood to be enrolled for the service, that a greater number presented than his instructions permitted him to engage, and, being unwilling to give offense to any, thought of the following expedient. He, with a piece of chalk drew on a board the figure of a nose of the common size, which he placed at the distance of 150 yards, declaring that those who should come nearest the mark should be enlisted. Sixty odd hit the object. Gen. Gage, take care of *your* nose."

John Andrews, whose correspondence has furnished very valuable material for the book, described another scene during the British occupation of Boston, which showed the Yankee capacity for metaphorical as well as liberal sharpshooting. He wrote:

"It's common for the soldiers to fire at a target fixed in the stream at the bottom of the common. A countryman stood by a few days ago and laughed very heartily at a whole regiment's firing, and not one being able to hit it. The officer observed him and asked why he laughed. 'Perhaps you'll be affronted if I tell you,' replied the countryman. No, he would not, he said. 'Why then,' says he, 'I laugh to see how awkward they fire. Why I'll be bound I hit it ten times running.' 'Ah, will you?' replied the officer. 'Come try. Soldiers go and bring five of the best guns, and load them for this honest man.' 'Why, you need not bring so many; let me have any one that comes to hand,' replied the other; 'but I choose to load, myself.' He accordingly loaded and asked the officer where he should fire. He replied, 'To the right,' when he pulled the trigger and drove the ball as near the right as possible. The officer was amazed, and said he could not do it again, as that was only by chance. He loaded again. 'Where shall I fire?' To the left,' when he performed as well as before. 'Come, once more,' says the officer. He prepared *for* the third time. 'Where shall I fire naow?' 'In the center.' He took aim and the ball went as exact in the middle as possible. The officers, as well as the soldiers, stared, and thought the devil was in the man. 'Why,' said the countryman, 'I'll tell you naow, I have got a boy at home that will toss up an apple and shoot out all the seeds as it's coming down.'"

The following passage from a revolutionary soldier's manuscript shows the straits to which the colonists were sometimes reduced, and at the same time gives us a glimpse of Washington as he appeared to the men who followed him in the long struggle for independence:

"I delivered my letter to Gen. Washington in person, and was deeply impressed with an emotion I cannot describe, in contemplating that great man, his august person, his majestic mien, his dignified and commanding deportment—the more conspicuous, perhaps, at that moment, from the fact that he was in the act of admonishing a militia colonel with some animation. He directed a young officer to accompany me and superintend the delivery of the powder at Mystic, two miles distant. Whilst delivering it at the powder house, I observed to the officer 'Sir, I am happy to see so many barrels of powder here.' He whispered a secret in my ear, with an indiscretion which marked the novice in military affairs, 'These barrels are filled with sand.' And wherefore?' I inquired. 'To deceive the enemy,' he replied, should any spy by chance happen to look in.' Such was the wretched appointment of that army upon which rested the hopes of American liberty."

The privations which Continental officers and soldiers endured have been descanted upon often enough but it is only through such anecdotes as this that we catch a glimpse of their wretched condition as they knew it.

"Of the deplorable situation of the Continental officers, even of the highest grade, some idea may be formed from the fact I am about to relate, and which may be relied on as perfectly correct. Dr Fayssoux, joining the army of Gen. Greene in North Carolina, called at the hut of Gen Huger, the second in command, but was refused admission. The Doctor insisted on his right to enter, the sentinel, in conformity to his orders, denied it. The altercation was heard by the general, who, recognizing the voice of his friend desired that he might be allowed to pass into the hut. 'Pardon me, Doctor,' said the general, who lay on the ground wrapped up in an old military cloak, 'for giving you so ungracious a reception, but the fact is the chances of war have robbed me of every comfort and I confined myself to solitude and an old cloak while my washerwoman prepares for a future occasion the only shirt I own.' If an officer of distinguished rank, universally loved and respected, for whose accommodation there was not an individual in the service who would not have made sacrifices, was thus circumstanced, what must have been the miseries of the lower grades, and wretchedness of the private sentinels?"

Washington's stately manner and dignified self assertion are well shown in the story of an English girl who dined with him:

"One day, after dinner, the Congress was the toast, General Washington viewed me very attentively, and sarcastically said, 'Miss Moncrieffe, you don't drink your wine.' Embarrassed by this reproof, I knew not how to act, at last, as if by a secret impulse, I addressed myself to the American commander, and, taking the wine, I said, 'Gen. Howe is the toast.' Vexed at my temerity, the whole company, especially Gen. Washington, censured me; when my good friend Gen. Putnam, as usual, apologized, and assured them I did not mean to offend. 'Besides,' replied he, 'everything said or done by such a child ought rather to amuse than affront you.' Gen. Washington, piqued at this observation, then said, 'Well, Miss, I will overlook your indiscretion on condition that you drink my health, or Gen. Putnam's, the first time you dine at Sir William Howe's table on the other side of the water.'"

His official manner after he became President is pictured in this account of his levee:

"At 3 o'clock the visitor was introduced to the dining room, from which all seats had been removed for the time. On entering he saw the tall, manly figure of Washington, clad in black silk velvet, his hair in full dress, powdered and gathered behind in a large silk bag; yellow gloves on his hands, holding a cocked hat with a black cockade in it, and the edges adorned with a black feather about an inch deep. He wore knee and shoe buckles, and a long sword. He stood always in front of the fireplace, with his face toward the door of entrance. The visitor was conducted to him, and his name distinctly announced. He received his visitor with a dignified bow, in a manner avoiding to shake hands, even with best friends. As visitors came they formed a circle round the room; and, at a quarter past 3, the door closed, and the circle was formed for that day. He then began on the right, and spake to each visitor, calling him by name and exchanging a few words. When he had completed his circuit he resumed his first position, and the visitors, approaching him in succession, bowed and retired. By 4 o'clock this ceremony was over. These facts have been learned in general from the reminiscences of Gen. Sullivan."

He is not less interesting as he appears in the account of Mrs. Washington's receptions:

"Mrs. Washington's levees were every Friday evening, at which occasion the General was always present. It was an occasion for emulous and aspiring belles to essay to win his attention. But he was never familiar; his countenance uniformly, even there, retained its habitual gravity. A lady of his family said it was his habit, also, when without company, and that she only remembered him to have *once* made a hearty laugh in a narrative and incident of which she was a party. The truth was, his deportment was unavoidably grave; it was sobriety, stopping short of sadness. His presence inspired a veneration and a feeling of awe, rarely experienced in the presence of any man. His mode of speaking was slow and deliberate, not as though he was in search of fine words, but that he might utter only those adapted to his purpose."

We have space for but one more extract, in which we shall see Franklin just as he appeared to the [illegible] of his time:

"Soon after my return to Paris I dined and spent the evening with the immortal Franklin. Arriving at an early hour, I discovered the philosopher in a distant room, reading, in the exact posture in which he is represented in an admirable engraving from his portrait, his left arm resting upon the right hand. His mingling among the most refined society of both hemispheres had communicated to his manners a blandness and urbanity well sustained by his native grace and elegance of deportment. His venerable locks waving over his shoulders, and the dignity of his personal appearance, commanded reverence and respect; and yet his manners were so pleasant and fascinating that one felt at ease and unrestrained in his presence. He inquired whether I knew that he was a musician; and he conducted me across the room to an instrument of his own invention which he called the Armonica. The music was produced by a peculiar combination of hemispherical gl[illegible] At my solicitation he played upon it, and performed some Scotch pastorals with great effect."

SUGGESTIONS FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Allow me the use of a small space in the columns of your valuable paper to express my views upon some propositions of legislation which I deem expedient to be brought before our next Legislature for action. We must remember that we are living in an age of progress and development. Old things are passing away and new ones coming on to take their place. The Anglo Saxon race throughout the civilized world are continually moving forward, inventive genius, intellect and industry in all their various branches are developing and moving onward with gigantic strides. Things that were considered the *ne plus ultra* of a few years ago are giving way to new and useful inventions and industries that are fairly startling the world with their grand results. The older States and all Europe are up and doing, and vieing with each other in the great race of progress. And the printing press, that great educator, and reformer, and builder of public opinion, that power that has done more, perhaps, than everything else to set the world ahead and break down prejudices, and reform and civilize mankind, is still and will continue to be the great medium of progress through which the masses must advance. It will not do for us, the people of Oregon, isolated as we are in the great Northwest, to lie supinely on our backs, in the shade of our magnificent forests, listening to murmuring brooks as they flow over their pebbly bottoms. We must not content ourselves with the facts known to ourselves, and ourselves only, that the God of Nature has bestowed upon Oregon more advantages than any of her fair sisters. Whilst modesty is a rare and attractive quality, it will not do to lock beauty and wealth and natural charms in the rock-bound closets of our mountains, where it can neither be seen, known nor appreciated. The charms of our salubrious climate must not be hid beneath the rubbish of old fogyism. The immense wealth of mountains must lie there for generations for our want of capital and population to develop it and bring it forth in glittering splendor. The usefulness of our gigantic forests in shipbuilding and kindred purposes must not lie and remain as nature planted, for the want of enterprise and industry to make our State lead the van in that line. The immense wealth derived and accumulated from our salmon fisheries must not be lost for want of energy and enterprise by our people. And our millions upon millions of the finest arable land that the sun ever shed its genial rays upon should not lie idle, unimproved and uncultivated for want of people to farm it, when we can so materially bring about all these grand results ourselves. We have the means and the power to do much for our own good, and should not sit quietly down on our haunches, looking at our untenanted buildings, mouldering almost in ruins, our undeveloped mines, richer than Golconda, unworked, our fertile lands, capable of bearing such immense crops of golden cereals, lying idle, and our fine forests waving in the wind almost untouched. Whilst we continually sigh for capital and population, we can help ourselves, we must help ourselves, and the way to do it is by legislation. That is the initial point, and I propose in a few short articles to give my views on some much needed legislation that would benefit the whole State, the whole people.

Our State constitution itself is almost a dead letter. We had almost as well have none. It is full a half century behind the times, when compared with the light and wisdom of the present age. It is almost like an old fossil sticking out from the rocks of barbarism, and the formations of the dark ages. It was good enough, perhaps, when it was made. It answered the purposes of a people who had not had all the advantages of progress that we now enjoy; but our country has out lived it. We should have a new one, one up to the times. But as we cannot get that immediately, we must fall back upon such legislation under it as will best serve our purpose as a people. First, the most absorbing subject for the attention of the next Legislature is the election of a United States Senator,—that is, to a few individuals,—but to the great masses, to one hundred and fourteen thousand nine hundred and seventy-five persons out of the one hundred and fifteen thousand inhabitants of the State of Oregon, it is a subject of no moment, it matters but little to them who [illegible] be the Senator. Perhaps there are fully [illegible] or twenty thousand [illegible] in the State [illegible] would do as much for Oregon if elected as any of the aspiring candidates coming before the Legislature. So to the people of Oregon it matters but little who shall be [illegible] fore we would ask that as short a time as [illegible] ble of the forty days allotted to the [illegible] voted to this matter, as there are [illegible] things needed that will come before [illegible] which will have a material effect upon [illegible] prosperity as a State and our interests as a community. Among them, and [illegible] most important, is legislation in [illegible] to the encouragement of some [illegible] ation to undertake forming [illegible] connection direct with the [illegible], which enterprise above all others deserves careful consideration and encouragement [illegible] the next legislature. Without that we [illegible] expect to increase in either wealth or population. With such connection, or the [illegible] ate prospect of such connection, all [illegible] ous marts of trade now stagnant, [illegible] ulated a hundred fold, our [illegible] again flourish, the [illegible] of [illegible] mills be set in motion, and the [illegible] our foundries and smelting [illegible] the [illegible] and be [illegible] into the thousand various forms of [illegible] wealth and industry everywhere; the sound of the hammer from early dawn to [illegible] tide will ring through our [illegible] and now almost deserted pl[illegible] the farmer stimulated to renewed [illegible] roll into market the gold [illegible] Oregon may [illegible] claim the [illegible] not only in the number of [illegible] the acre, but for the quality of [illegible] Then, indeed, and not till [illegible] claim to be a prosperous [illegible] this about I should favor our [illegible] ing an act to provide for the [illegible] the [illegible] ton [illegible] cent., for twenty or [illegible] thirty [illegible] railroad company [illegible] nection. I believe this would [illegible] mediate building of one [illegible] to guard [illegible] being swindled, I [illegible] gest that these bonds be [illegible] only [illegible] work [illegible] in [illegible] of [illegible] than fifty [illegible] and to [illegible] portionate to the number of [illegible] road required to [illegible] tion. Such a [illegible] no [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] receive the [illegible] of the [illegible] such a [illegible] could be [illegible] as the State would not [illegible] nal debt at all. I [illegible] favor any particular [illegible] self have [illegible] but [illegible] the matter [illegible] for [illegible] let the first company that can and [illegible] and equip in good running [illegible] of road within the State, on a [illegible] connection anywhere, be [illegible] receive the bonds; if two [illegible] pitch in, give [illegible] of them the [illegible] sary, the more roads we [illegible] The increased taxation upon the [illegible] this interest would be unfelt, not a [illegible] the bucket, not a circumstance, not a [illegible] tax for the first year, and as our State [illegible] ed in wealth, industry and population [illegible] time the road should be completed [illegible] not amount to more than half a [illegible] then our property would be [illegible] houses, now decaying for [illegible] would be inhabited, and we [illegible] would reap some of the [illegible] for posterity, without fail. [illegible]

More anon. O.

THE BIGGEST BEAR STORY.—The [illegible] vada, *Gazette*, repeats it thus: "T[illegible] 'em standin' and runnin', but the [illegible] citizen I ever lit onto, was a [illegible] was sittin' in the chaparral [illegible] berries, when my dog [illegible] him [illegible] home. I sneaked up and [illegible] him by shootin' at his ears and [illegible] took around him, and with three [illegible] his tail. Old Blacky heard me [illegible] and turnin' around, see his tail [illegible] He picked it up and looked at the [illegible] and I see in a minute that war [illegible] I lit out for a tree, with only two [illegible] left and him a comin'. Well, to [illegible] story short, I shot twice, hittin' [illegible] times, and he begun to git hot, so he [illegible] the tree after me, and I [illegible] three times before my gun [illegible]. He [illegible] on the fourth trip, and I didn't [illegible] do till I thought of my deringer w[illegible] four-ounce ball. I drew her out, tied a [illegible] to the trigger, and as old [illegible] with his mouth wide open, I [illegible] He hadn't time to spit her out, and [illegible] swallowed and I pulled the [illegible] the gun, and so help me, I [illegible] of bear or pistol since."

GIRLS' NAMES.—Speaking of [illegible] girls' schools, the N. Y. *Times* says: "T[illegible] hardly a girl whose name is given in a [illegible] sensible form. They are Addie, and L[illegible] and Florie, and Fannie, and Mattie, and K[illegible] tie, and Lucie, and Jennie, and even J[illegible] We have heard of a man making a J[illegible] himself, and we suppose that it is [illegible] same thing when a woman makes a J[illegible] herself. The public assumption of nick[illegible] or pet names, and the substitution, [illegible] those, of *ie* for *y* is in very bad taste; and [illegible] "females" should be well laughed out of the affectation. That Elizabeth or Eliza [illegible] be called Lizzie by her intimate friends is well enough, if she and they like it; but let her keep her pet names for those friends, and not parade herself before the world under that designation; and if she must favor the universe with her diminutive, let her at least eschew the other ridiculous affectation of [illegible] ing it with *ie*.

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REFORM AND REFORMERS.

If Mr. Tilden should be elected he will begin his reformation by ejecting from office all but his own supporters. An entirely new set will be put in, most of whom will be unacquainted with the nature and routine of the duties they will be called upon to perform. This will afford to rogues the very opportunity they want; for either by eluding the vigilance or deluding the intelligence of the office holders, they will be enabled to carry out any nefarious scheme they may have, and the country will be a sufferer to the extent of their audacity and success. Besides among the multitude of appointees, some will surely be incapable and dishonest. Mr. Tilden, if elected, will have to choose his appointees from among men who have never been in office, or who have been out in the cold for fifteen or sixteen years, and who cannot be expected to be as capable as they would have been if they had held official positions for years. This is evidenced by the blundering of the House in the last session, notably when Wood made his ill-timed motion and Hill his unfortunate speech, and also when Mr. Blaine out-generaled and cowed the Democratic majority. If the leaders of the party blundered, what may we expect of the lesser lights?

Even supposing Mr. Tilden to be as sincere in his desire to accomplish reforms as Mr. Hayes, and he cannot be more so, he is less able to carry them out. Mr. [illegible], if elected, as the signs of the times indicate he will be, would have a large [illegible] of trained men out of whom to select his appointees. Many of those already in office he would retain, sifting out and dismissing the incapable and dishonest, of whom it cannot be denied there are many, and filling their places with men who have been tried and not found wanting. These would be familiar with the working of the office they might be called to fill. They would have nothing to learn, and rogues would be able [illegible] to cheat nor corrupt them. [illegible] parties claim to desire reform in all things; but it is evident that if they are entirely sincere, the task before Tilden would be far more difficult than that before Mr. Hayes, and all who desire reform should vote for the latter instead of the former.

However, anything is to be gathered from the manner in which men talk, Mr. Hayes is more in earnest in his purpose of reforms than Mr. Tilden. Mr. Hayes is for reform at all events; he declares his purpose boldly and without [illegible] himself with his party. [illegible] declares his purpose with circumlocution, and signifies his [illegible] be controlled by circumstances. [illegible] do what may be expedient; he [illegible] reform his party. In fact the [illegible] between the two men may be [illegible] in a single sentence: Mr. Hayes is for reform because it is required; [illegible] it is popular with his party. Hayes will be for reform as [illegible] it is required—Mr. Tilden as long [illegible] popular with his party. Which is the man for true reformers to vote [illegible]

A GRASSHOPPER EXTERMINATOR.

[illegible]tidote for the grasshopper plague, [illegible] has been devastating the fields of the middle Western States, seems [illegible] at last appeared. It is not an invention of man, but a provision of kindly [illegible]. It is well known that the annual [illegible] of grasshoppers are generated [illegible] laid by preceding swarms, and [illegible] to destroy the eggs was the problem. [illegible] the cold of winter, intense as it [illegible] the heat of summer had any injurious effect upon them. Many devices [illegible] recommended and tried with no [illegible]. Congress appointed a committee [illegible] to investigate their habitat [illegible] and appropriated a large sum [illegible] to defray their expenses. The [illegible] offered large rewards to [illegible] would stay the plague, [illegible] fame and countless [illegible] awaited the lucky individual [illegible] ingenious brain should devise a [illegible] of protection from the insatiate [illegible]. But all in vain—man pro[illegible], but the insolent insects de[illegible] every green thing in the land, [illegible] with their stridulous songs of mock[illegible] hopped carelessly away, leav[illegible] behind the germs of future pests. At [illegible] Nature bestirred itself and without [illegible] performed what seemed an impossibility. It sent a little red bug which [illegible] industriously seeking and [illegible] something which it found in [illegible] soil of every field. Upon examination [illegible] was discovered that that bug was the [illegible] desired exterminator of the hoppers. [illegible] sought and ate the grasshoppers' eggs, [illegible] effectually ridding the country of the [illegible] pestilence for one season at least. It was [illegible] ascertained that the work of destruction was so thoroughly performed that in [illegible] where the eggs had literally filled [illegible] soil, none at all could be found. Millions of eggs were destroyed and an incalculable amount of benefit rendered to the farmers.

This precious bug is thus described: it is of a deep red color, almost the size of a flea, or rather of a louse, resembling the latter somewhat in its shape and movements. It seeks for the egg deposits and having found them never leaves off eating until every egg is consumed. Great joy prevails among the farmers of Minnesota at this discovery, and many who had made up their minds to sow no wheat, are now taking heart again, ploughing their fields and preparing to put in heavy crops.

THE WAGNER FESTIVAL.

The great Wagner festival at Baireuth, is over—the blare of the trumpets and trombones, the squeaking of the fiddles, the shrieking of the fifes and the rattle of the drums has died away, and silence reigns. The health of the soprano, the condition of Betz, the baritone's throat are no longer matters of importance to anybody but themselves. The Emperors, Kings, Princes, nobles and groundlings who had congregated there have paid their bills (we hope) and departed. The hotel keepers are reckoning up their gains; the workmen are taking down the great theater; pretty soon the newspapers will quit talking about it, and then the great festival will be really a thing of the past, to live only in the memory of those who were present there and on the pages of some musical review or history. It was described as grand, splendid, amazing, stunning; but it is added, there will be few found who will be able to understand such music, fewer who will be able to "interpret" it and fewer still who will be able to enjoy it. It is said that it is Wagner's masterpiece—the supreme effort of the genius that is to revolutionize the musical world. With infinite humility we venture to express the hope that the revolution will be a failure. The music that few can understand, fewer play, and fewer still enjoy is not the music for us. It is a pain rather than a pleasure to sit with tortured ears and listen to a performance in which there is nothing, but "sound and fury, signifying nothing"—at any rate, nothing comprehensible by ordinary mortals. Let who who may admire Wagner's productions—and we believe the real admirers are far fewer than those who pretend to admire them—we will be satisfied with the songs of Abt, Schubert and Kucken—the sonatas of Hayden and Beethoven—the combinations of Mendelssohn, Mozart and Handel—and the melodies, sweeter than all the rest, of English ballad music writers.

The many friends of George Morrow, Esq., of Washington county, will be deeply pained to read the notice of his death, which occurred last Monday morning. Mr. Morrow was a prominent farmer in his county, and aided with his means and enterprise every undertaking for the good of the community in which he lived. Thus cut off in the prime of life he leaves behind a respected memory that will be cherished dearly by those who knew him best. He was buried at Hillsboro with Masonic honors, on Tuesday.

Hon. Orange Jacobs, delegate from Washington Territory to the 44th Congress, arrived yesterday on the *John L. Stephens*, and will leave for Puget Sound this morning. Judge Jacobs has been an industrious, intelligent and able representative, looking faithfully after the interests of his constituents and never absent from the post of duty even for a day. Such a man is a jewel to be prized; and while we do not know that Judge Jacobs desires a renomination, we feel sure that he deserves to be re-elected by an increased majority.

MARRIED:

At the M. E. Parsonage in this city, Aug. 30, by Rev. R. Bentley, Mr. Fred. Silcocks and Miss Emma Maude Snyder.

In Halsey, August 28, at the residence of B. F. Moore, by J. A. Pearl, Justice of the Peace, Mr. B. W. Jenkins and Miss E. A. Beem, both of Lane Co.

DIED:

Near Butteville, Marion county, Aug. 14, Lewis, second son of G. A. Cone, Jr., aged 20 years and 11 months.

At Myrtle Creek, Douglas county, Aug. 27, Effie, daughter of F. M. and Louisa Gabbert, aged 2 years and 3 months.

At his residence, in Washington county, Aug. 28, George Morrow, aged 58 years.

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CITY.

[illegible] EXCURSION.—Notwithstanding cir[illegible]s over which the Waverly Club had [illegible]trol, there was quite a fair attendance [illegible] good excursion on Tuesday evening. [illegible] N. Cooke, which had been changed at a [illegible] in place of the Hayward, proved [illegible] acceptable to those who favored the [illegible] with their presence. The steamer [illegible] for Vancouver, at which point the [illegible] tramped to Oro Fino Hall, where they [illegible] by a number of Vancouver folks, [illegible] with the visitors in "tripping the [illegible]tic" for three hours. At 1 o'clock [illegible] started on the return trip to this [illegible] arriving at home at about 3 o'clock. [illegible] was provided by Frank Manciet, of [illegible]mopolitan Restaurant, and he per[illegible] his part handsomely. Prof. Bray's [illegible] was, as usual, good, the "Waverly [illegible]ing greatly admired. The Club will [illegible] a series of parties to take place dur[illegible] winter months, and desire to thank [illegible] friends, particularly the ladies, [illegible] kindly remembering them during the [illegible] just closed.

[illegible] JOKE.—Some person or persons, [illegible] they were playing a sharp trick, [illegible] a number of yellow flags in various [illegible] of East Portland during Tuesday [illegible] in front of residences. The excitement [illegible] the trick when it was discovered [illegible] morning can more easily be im[illegible] than described. Some of the farmers [illegible] into the town with vegetables, on see[illegible] ominous signals of danger, turned [illegible] heads countryward and made [illegible] away from the supposed scene of [illegible]. The prepetrators of this too prac[illegible] have not been discovered, but [illegible] be detected, we warrant an in[illegible]munity will "warm the wax in [illegible]

[illegible] ARTICLES.—Gen. Howard has re[illegible] three articles for the *Atlantic* [illegible] on the late civil war. Two of the ar[illegible] already appeared, and the third [illegible] will be published next month. [illegible] in the *Atlantic* of July is entitled [illegible] and Battle of Gettysburg, June [illegible] 1863," that in the August number, [illegible] September's number will [illegible] the third article entitled "Atlanta." [illegible] are written in a concise but [illegible] style, and are very readable. Those [illegible] already appeared have elicited [illegible] comment and criticism from many [illegible] journals and periodicals [illegible] the country.

[illegible]—Capt. Noyes, of the [illegible], tendered his resignation as [illegible] some time ago, and went [illegible] his family on a visit. His place has [illegible] by Capt. Woodbury, who arrived [illegible] East a short time since. Capt. [illegible] of Capt. Allen Noyes, mas[illegible] *Bess*, which vessel is proba[illegible] way to this port from Honolulu, [illegible] expected to arrive. The present [illegible] *Allen Besse* expects to resign the [illegible] of his vessel on reaching here and [illegible], and will in all probability [illegible] by his nephew, who will return [illegible] take charge of the bark.

[illegible] THE CENTENNIAL.—Mr. Isaac [illegible] laid on our table samples of fruit, [illegible] of which have been forwarded by [illegible]lling & Son, of Milwaukie, to Phil[illegible] where they are to be placed on ex[illegible]ing the fall months. The sam[illegible] blackberries, plums, several va[illegible] peaches, and also some genu[illegible]ts. The fruit is as fine as [illegible] we have seen, and will reflect [illegible] on the State. The example thus [illegible] Lenelling should be emulated [illegible] growers of Oregon until the [illegible] at the great exposi[illegible]

[illegible] AFFRAY.—Thursday we learn [illegible] affray occurred at Vancouver [illegible] Jones and another [illegible] Walker. Jones is a farmer [illegible] and Walker is a laborer [illegible] Vancouver. These men got into [illegible] some matter, during which [illegible] epithets were mutually in[illegible] When the parties had about come [illegible] hold of a hatchet, and [illegible] a heavy blow in the [illegible] very severe and probably fatal [illegible] is in custody awaiting the re[illegible] injuries.

[illegible] PARTY.—Tuesday night about [illegible] friends of Miss Edith Carter, [illegible] young lady by an unexpected [illegible] an expression of the friend[illegible] them. There was no [illegible] the affair and everybody [illegible] entering with zeal into the [illegible] pleasures of the evening. [illegible] were provided, and [illegible] that part of the programme [illegible] Edith expects to depart to at[illegible] in another State before long, [illegible] friends desired to thus give [illegible] party.

[illegible] THERE.—Mr. L. L. Dubeau, [illegible] at Cowlitz, Cowlitz county, [illegible] date of August 29th, in which [illegible] there is no smallpox in that [illegible] lives 30 miles above Freeport, [illegible] and Cathlamet. Cowlitz [illegible] N. P. R. R., is in Lewis county [illegible] Cowlitz. We cheerfully give Mr. [illegible] of his statement.

[illegible]—On and after date the As[illegible] will carry the way-mails between [illegible], also mails for the Sound [illegible] will note this fact [illegible] wharf punctually at 5 A. M.,—[illegible] at that hour. The Kalama [illegible] drawn off the route for the [illegible] the Astoria boats transact all busi[illegible] heretofore.

[illegible]—From the records of the [illegible]tion of Observation, Portland, [illegible] 30, 1876:

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[illegible] DAKOTA.—The following Portland[illegible] Victoria to-day for San Francisco on [illegible] *Dakota*: Bishop Harris, (M. E. [illegible]) W. V. Johnson, A. Eisenbach, W. J. [illegible] R. R. McPherson, M. P. Morse, wife and [illegible] D. W. Henly, N. P. McCraken, wife [illegible] Jas. Dalrymple, A. Shattuck, G. [illegible] Miller, P. Conner.

[illegible]—Tom Parrot has quite a [illegible] of young scions who are to make [illegible] if nothing happens, and the [illegible] artists have been augmented by a [illegible] addition—the new comer being of the [illegible] sex. It is more than likely the [illegible] will be an opera singer—Tom's no[illegible] that way.

CIRCUS COMING.—Mr. Chas. C. Pell, [illegible] agent for Montgomery Queen's [illegible], is now in the city. Mr. [illegible] circus is coming to this State, and [illegible] here during next month, on the [illegible] 26th, 27th and 28th prox.

[illegible]MENT.—We have received an [illegible] card to the second annual fair of [illegible] Walla Walla county agricultural society, [illegible] is to commence on the 19th of Septem[illegible] during five days.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

[illegible] estate in Yamhill county to the extent [illegible] acres is offered at auction sale by [illegible] mutt & Oatman.

The Pacific Rubber Paint is advertised by [illegible] Calef & Co., agents. The firm warrant what is claimed for it.

"Pap" Waller can get you up a No. 1 stew, or fancy roast on short notice, in his style. Just try a dish.

[illegible] announcement from Clarke & Hen[illegible] to which the attention of the ladies is [illegible]. This firm keep up with the times [illegible] new goods by every steamer.

[illegible] is now East selecting his stock of [illegible] for the fall trade. During his absence [illegible] is being sold at an immense [illegible] Morrison and First street.

OUR NEGLECTED CEMETERIES.

Respect for the memory of the departed ought under no circumstances to be overlooked or forgotten. There is no better way of keeping alive and cherishing the memory of dead relatives and friends, than to adorn and beautify the spot which contains their remains. While great taste is displayed and expense incurred in decorating and making beautiful and attractive the homes of the living, yet the dwelling places of the dead ought not to be entirely neglected. Those who may chance to take a stroll through the cemeteries on the east side of the river—Lone Fir and St. Mary's—can not but be painfully impressed with the general appearance of neglect, if not of dilapidation everywhere presented. Trees have grown up in many places over the graves of those who were buried years ago, uprooting in their rapid growth the monuments. This shrubbery in most instances was planted by the loving and thoughtful hands of relatives and friends, but in the long and silent flight of years, no care has been exercised, the boughs have not been trimmed, and they have grown so tall and spread so wide that the spot which they were intended to mark, can with difficulty be identified. Briars and trailing plants and a thick growth of small underbrush have been permitted to flourish rankly until they have usurped every inch of ground. Many of the groves and lots have been beautifully and tastily arranged, evincing a thoughtful care on the part of surviving relatives and friends, but these exceptional cases do not overcome the air of neglect which pervades the "City of the Dead." Once the paths and walks were neatly kept and clearly marked, but the remorseless brambles and brush have spread over the ground until the walks can be distinguished with difficulty. There certainly ought to be something done to arrest the silent but continuous march of dilapidation and disintegration. It would not require a large sum to have these cemeteries inclosed by a neat and substantial wooden fence, to train up the overspreading branches of the trees, and to cut and clear away the briars and small brush, and lay out intersecting walks. Every year the necessity of repairs and improvements become more apparent, and matters grow worse. Something should be done soon to rescue the resting places of the "dear departed" from weeds and neglect. To stroll through the cemeteries, and view the reigning air of dilapidation, how appropriately and suggestively the words of Rip Van Winkle cross the mind: "Are we so soon forgotten when we are dead?"

BRIEF NOTES.

Miss Nancy Sherry was fined $15 yesterday morning in the police court for disorderly conduct.

The steamer *John L. Stephens* will not sail for San Francisco until Friday evening, Sept. 1st at 6 o'clock.

The barkentine *Portland*, which got aground at St. Helens bar, has been taken off and towed to Astoria.

Remember the celebrated Georgia Minstrels at New Market Theater this evening. New programme again.

The steamer *Stephens* arrived here yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock, with a large number of passengers and 726 tons of freight.

A lady passenger on the *Stephens* gave birth to a child while on the way to this port from San Francisco. The child survived its birth only a few hours.

The *Corsica*, which has been lying at Greenwich wharf for some time, has had her rigging overhauled, new topmasts and spars added, and is now in good condition for sea.

Yesterday morning the *Arminella*, which has been lying at anchor for some time, was towed down to the Greenwich dock by the steamer *Vancouver*, where she will discharge her ballast.

There is a fellow in East Portland (by the way he has a new Bliss rifle), who declares he will perforate the first fiend in human shape he catches putting up yellow flags about his quarters. Look sharp, oh practical jokists!!

The ship *Warwick Castle* now lies alongside the steamer *John L. Stephens*. She brought to this port 805 tons of coal. Of this amount 400 tons will be placed on board the *Stephens* for immediate consumption, and the remainder of her cargo discharged on the wharf for future use.

PERSONAL.

Capt. H. L. Hoyt, who has been favorably known here since Portland got its start and in all that time, will leave for the East on the outgoing steamer, making a visit to the scenes of his youth, for the first time since "the days of '49." His many friends wish him a pleasant and prosperous voyage. He will be absent about two months.

Hon. H. H. Gilfry, Gov. Grover's private secretary, and withal a very courteous and accommodating gentleman, arrived on the *Stephens* from an extended trip to the East. He reports having experienced a pleasant time, and returns home in excellent health and good spirits. Mr. Gilfry's many friends in the State will be gratified to learn of his safe return.

The Salem *Mercury* says the following which Portlanders will fully endorse: "Prof. Crawford informs us that he has been tendered and has accepted the position of Principal in the Central school at Portland. This school will open next Monday, September 4th, and the time for making necessary preparations to take charge of the school being short, the professor will go to Portland to-morrow, and on Saturday will remove permanently to that city. We regret to lose Prof. Crawford and and his estimable lady from our midst, and can but wish them renewed prosperity and happiness in their change of location. Mr. Crawford is one of the best teachers in the State of Oregon, and the Portland schools may well feel proud of the acquisition of his talent and large experience to their corps of teachers.

ODD FELLOWS' LIBRARY.

Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of the county clerk yesterday by the incorporators of the Odd Fellows' Library Association: A. G. Walling, representative of Hassalo Lodge No. 15, J. H. Lyon of Samaritan Lodge No. 2, and Jacob Thompson of Ellison Encampment No. 1.

The object of the corporation shall be the establishment of a library and reading room, the collection of a cabinet of natural curiosities and the intellectual improvement of its members.

The estimated value of the property of the corporation is about $100, and consists of money, books and furniture. The sources of income are dues, fees and donations.

Officers of the association shall be: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Librarian, who shall be elected annually, and hold their office for one year, except in case of death, resignation or removal for cause.

The association shall consist of two Trustees from each Lodge and Encampment I. O. O. F. within the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of the State.

Office and principal place of business of the corporation is located in Portland, and duration perpetual.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE MINSTRELS.—Another large attendance last evening to witness the entertainment of the Georgia Minstrels. There was a material change in the programme, which was excellent throughout. The four end men are wonderful, and keep the audience in a roar of laughter. The songs, dances and sketches were equal, and many are superior to anything ever seen here. In brief, it is sufficient to say that the company may calculate on good houses for many nights to come.

Go to Beck & Waldman's.

He bought a dozen Magnum Bonum shirts at Fishel & Roberts'.

He takes his girl to Barnes' for an extra lunch. Sensible man.

The improvement on the Wheeler & Wilson to prevent the oiling of the goods by the dripping of oil down the needle bar, is one of the improvements on the No. 8 which all ladies admire.

One of the coolest spots in town is the "Fountain," where Peter Wilhelm holds forth. He keeps the best liquors and cigars, and Weinhardt's best beer. His billiard tables are excellent, and the "Virginius" pool table continues a favorite.

NOTICE.—Mrs. S. Lord, First National Bank building, having abundantly proven her ability to produce a new crop of hair in all stages of baldness, also to check falling of the hair and itching of the scalp, would advise those intending to avail themselves of her treatment to do so without delay, as business will soon take her from the State for some time. Preparations sent to all parts of the country.

RIVER AND HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS

The Board of Engineers of the Pacific coast, while here, examined the Columbia river from Celilo to its mouth and the Willamette from the falls to its junction with the Columbia.

The projects of Col. Wilson were carefully considered, and before submitting its final report, the Board directed that the Willamette and Columbia rivers, the Willamette slough, Coon island and Percy's sloughs should be gauged at various points, current observations taken, and the character of the bottom, wherever uncertain, determined.

The projects of Col. Wilson for the improvement of Swan island bar, Postoffice bar and the mouth of the Willamette, were generally approved; but further information, which can only be obtained during low water, was desired before final action.

At St. Helens bar current observations were desired and also the line of the rocky plateau at the lower end of the bar before final decision. Work will be at once commenced upon the surveys required, and it is probable that the Board will again consider the subject in October in San Francisco.

While going down the river on the *Hassler*, soundings were made by the pilot across Snag island bar and Hog's back; this was done when the tide was about three-quarters flood; at Snag island, at that stage, the least sounding obtained was 22½ feet, while at Hog's back there was plenty of water at all stages for all vessels entering Columbia river. A survey of both of these places will soon be made under Col. Wilson's direction.

At St. Helens bar the freshet completely filled the cut made last March, and also somewhat the old ship channel. A survey is now in progress at this place.

A survey made Aug. 19th, showed a channel across the bar, with a depth of 16 feet, on a line running from Austin's house to the upper end of the dock, just below the ridge at St. Helens, where steamboats land during high water.

The U. S. dredger has just completed a channel through the bar at the mouth of the river, giving a depth of 16 feet at low water. It will continue work either at Postoffice bar or St. Helens, whichever may appear to be most necessary; as the river was ten feet above zero when work commenced, only 16 feet at low water could be obtained, where dredging was in progress the first week.

UPPER WILLAMETTE.

The snag boat has completed work at the Centennial chute above Corvallis. This chute presents a depth of three feet throughout. Much work was done and giant powder freely used in removing snags. The boat will now drop down the river, removing all snags in the channel.

Wing dams have been completed at Half Moon bend and at Bower's bar, and are now in progress at Pine Tree shoal and Buena Vista bar. Much trouble has been experienced at the latter place by the current cutting around the ends of the dam and undermining it. As soon as Buena Vista and Pine Tree dams are completed, work will be commenced at Lower Fickel's and Humphrey's rocks.

UPPER COLUMBIA.

Proposals were opened to-day at 11 A. M., at the U. S. Engineer's office, for excavating rock from the channel at the Upper Umatilla rapids. The amount to be removed is 200 yards, more or less. The following bids were received: J. B. Montgomery, $31 per yard; Grant & Stone, $31.50 per yard. The contract was awarded to Mr. J. B. Montgomery, subject to the approval of the Chief of Engineers at Washington. The price paid last year was $36 per yard. This work will probably be commenced in November, and at the same time Grant & Stone, under their old contract, will remove 75 yards from Owyhee and 50 yards from Rock creek rapids.

FORT STEVENS.

The erosion of the shore at Fort Stevens still continues, and serious apprehensions are entertained for the safety of the fort this winter. To stop the action of the sea would require a strong and substantial revetment, but there is no appropriation for such a structure.

LIGHTHOUSES.

Repairs to the fog-signal boiler have been completed at Cape Flattery light station.

A new cistern to hold 5,000 gallons has been built at Point Adams light station for use of the keeper's dwelling.

A similar one will be built at Ediz Hook, and some repairs will be made at Smith's island.

The Engineer Secretary of the Lighthouse Board has been ordered to make a tour of the lighthouse districts on the Pacific coast, and will reach here about the last of September. It is hoped that upon his arrival some action will be taken in reference to the Point-no-Point light station.

Col. Wilson has been notified by telegraph from Washington that instructions are on the way by mail in reference to the new river and harbor appropriations.

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OREGON.

A brick store will soon be built at Independence.

The iron pipes to be used in conveying water to the State fair grounds, are being hauled and distributed ready for laying.

The *Statesman* reports that a man named Brown fell from the bridge being built at McMinnville last Saturday, and was killed.

Hon. R. P. Boise has resigned his membership in the Board of Capitol Commissioners and J. M. Scott, of Salem, has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

The Polk county *Telegram* says: Taylor Hill has got his crop of oats threshed. He raises 1,800 bushels from 60 acres, and this is his first attempt at farming.

The *Mercury* has a rumor that Mr. Hearn, the contractor on the new Capitol building, had "flitted" for other parts, leaving a number of his employes to mourn his sudden "taking off."

Some hoodlums tackled the wrong Chinaman at the Albany depot last Monday. The Celestial, after knocking several of them down, practiced the treadmill step on them so effectually that they were glad to beg off.

Wheat is coming into Independence, but in small quantities. All the farmers are busy threshing, to get their wheat saved before another rain. In a few weeks we may expect large quantities of grain to be stored at the several warehouses.

Two families named respectively Wright and Rollins, living near Amity, have very successfully inaugurated the fall fights in that section. At last advices, Wright was out about as many trade dollars for fines as Rollins was for doctor bills. All because R. insisted on passing over W.'s premises.

The contractor on mail route No. 44,103, from St. Joseph to Corvallis has been instructed, in pursuance of an order of the Postmaster General, to omit Corvallis and embrace and end at Albany. The order is to take effect September 1st. Albany is pleased with the new arrangement but Corvallis may not like it so well.

The Yamhill correspondent of the *Mercury* says under date of Aug. 25th: "The work of securing the crops is moving slowly. The character of the spring seeding season has caused the grain to ripen in patches, which would cause great loss of time in cutting, even if the weather was of the best, but the latter has been very unfavorable, cloudy, damp, and finally rain in earnest on Tuesday last brought everything to a stand-still. Quite a proportion of the present crop is not yielding so as to meet expectation, still some of it is yielding very finely."

A party who tried to climb Mount Jefferson last week writes to the Albany *Democrat* that: "After one gets within a few miles of Mount Jefferson it appears to be located in a valley similar to the Albany prairie. There are no deep canyons of high mountains in the immediate vicinity, but instead you will find several beautiful lakes whose shores are lined with magnificent cedars, and whose waters are perfectly black with trout. Bear, deer and elk are found in abundance. I found here a species of elk which I never noticed in the mountains near the valley. They are smaller, only weighing about 400 pounds, and have very short flat horns.

MILITARY NOTES.

Leave of absence for one month, with permission to leave the limits of the department, and to apply to division headquarters for an extension for one month, and to the Adjutant General for a further extension for two months, is granted 2d Lieutenant Daniel Cornman, 21st Infantry, (Fort Boise, I. T.)

A board of survey to consist of Major Jos. H. Eaton, Paymaster, Chief Paymaster; Major H. Clay Wood, Assistant Adjutant General; and Major James P. Canby, Paymaster, will assemble at the subsistence depot in this city, at 11 o'clock A. M. on the 31st inst., to examine and report upon the condition, and fix the responsibility therefor, of certain subsistence stores, reported unfit for issue, for which 1st Lieutenant Wm. H. Boyle, 21st Infantry, acting depot commissary of subsistence, is accountable.

First Lieut. Ebenezer W. Stone, 21st Infantry, will be relieved from duty as post quartermaster and post commissary of subsistence at Fort Walla Walla, W. T., and will proceed without delay to Fort Townsend, W. T., and report to the commanding officer for duty. Upon the arrival of Lieut. Stone at Fort Townsend, 1st Lieut. John M. Ross, 21st Infantry, will be relieved from duty at that post, to allow him to comply with regimental orders No. 36, headquarters 21st Infantry, August 21, 1876, detailing him on general recruiting service.

Lieutenant-Colonel Elmer Otis, 7th Cavalry (promoted from Major, 1st Cavalry), commanding Fort Walla Walla, W. T., is relieved from duty in this military department, to enable him to comply with special order No. 151, paragraph 5, current series, from the headquarters of the army, which directs that he proceed to join his regiment, in the department of Dakota. For promptitude and efficiency in the execution of orders and marked success in improving the condition of the buildings and grounds at Fort Walla Walla, he is entitled to and receives the unqualified commendation of the department commander.

New goods to arrive at Beck & Waldman's.

A Lesson Taught by Experience.

Among the many valuable lessons taught by experience, there is not one of greater moment to the invalid portion of the community than the following, viz.: That alterative treatment is only permanently successful when aided by invigoration. When the functions of the body are disordered, the use of a genial tonic with which corrective properties are combined is the speediest means of regulating them. Such a tonic is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the most popular, as it is the best article of its class. For more than twenty-five years it has been used with signal success as a remedy for, and preventive of malarial fevers, as a means of imparting strength to the debilitated, and as a curative of dyspepsia, billousness, constipation, kidney troubles and uterine weakness. Not only have multitudes of those whom it has cured borne testimony in its behalf, but it has been repeatedly commended by the medical profession and the press.

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ASSESSMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ASsessment of three cents on each share of the Capital Stock of the Oregon Quartz Mill & Mining Company has this day been levied, delinquent September 4, 1876.
H. H. NORTHUP,
Secretary O. Q. M. & M. Co.
Portland, Aug. 21, 1876. au22d10t

VERSICAL ODDS AND ENDS.

A schoolboy's effort:

Lord of love, look down from above,
Upon us little scholars,
We have a fool to teach our school,
And pay her twenty dollars.

Who's Hayes? Ask Sheridan and Crook,
Ask Early, if you will;
He saw him once at Cedar creek—
Again at Fisher Hill.

Who's Hayes? They well know who he is,
In spite of feigned surprise;
But then, "Where ignorance is bliss,
'Tis folly to be wise."

The editor of the Shelby, Kentucky, *Republican* sends forth this poem:

Hurrah for the Centennial Year!
Wrap us up in the American flag,
Tuck us under the eagle,
Tickle us with a barley-straw,
Pop goes the weasel.

This is the Reno *Gazette's* centennial poem:

"The eagle called from off his nest,
My dear young man, pull down your vest,
And then was heard above the din
Another cry, wipe off your chin."

ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY FOR THE RELIEF OF THE AFFLICTED.

The Surgeons of the National Surgical Institute, located in Indianapolis; Pacific Division, Alhambra Building, Bush street, San Francisco, have yielded to the many urgent appeals from their patrons and friends in Oregon and Washington Territory and adjoining regions, to revisit Portland. The former visit was highly satisfactory and encouraging, many of the patients then accepted for treatment being now entirely cured, while nearly all are greatly benefited and in a fair way of recovery. Three or more of the Surgeons will be at the Cosmopolitan Hotel in Portland, Oregon, from Monday, the 28th day of August, until Saturday, the 2d September, 1876, six days inclusive.

They will have with them a great amount of surgical apparatus, appliances, etc., and competent assistants and workmen to change, fit, and make such apparatus as may be required. They will come especially prepared to treat all surgical cases: Paralysis, all kinds of Deformities of the Face, Spine and Limbs, Diseased Joints, Diseased Eyes, Catarrh, Private Diseases, Piles, Fistula, etc. All who wish to avail themselves of the advantages of the Institute, without the long journey to San Francisco or Indianapolis, should do so at this time. No cases will be taken without a fair hope of relief. It is needless to say that the institution is entirely responsible, and the largest and most popular of the kind in America, curing thousands annually. Remember the time and place, and come early. ☞Send to the Institute for circular.

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PROPOSALS FOR ARMY SUPPLIES.
OFFICE CHIEF COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE, Department of the Columbia,
Portland, Oregon, August 15th, 1876.

SEALED PROPOSALS, IN TRIPLICATE, WITH a copy of this advertisement attached to each, will be received at this office and at the office of the Acting Commissary of Subsistence at each Post, for which supplies are required, until 12 M., TUESDAY, September 12, 1876, for the delivery of the following Subsistence Supplies, viz:

FLOUR.
At FORT COLVILLE, W. T. 5,000 lbs., more or less.
FORT KLAMATH, OGN. 20,000 lbs. "
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FORT STEVENS, OGN. 12,500 lbs. "
FORT CANBY, W. T. 12,500 lbs. "
FORT VANCOUVER, W. T. 50,000. "
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At FORT COLVILLE, W. T., 1,000 lbs., more or less.
FORT KLAMATH, OGN. 1,500 lbs. "
FORT WALLA WALLA, W. T. 5,000 lbs. "
Also,
At PORTLAND, OREGON:
40,000 lbs. FLOUR, more or less,
12,000 lbs. FAMILY FLOUR, more or less,
4,950 lbs. CORN MEAL, more or less,
26,756 lbs. ISLAND BROWN SUGAR, more or less
8,538 lbs. FINE SALT, more or less,
3,760 lbs. ASSORTED CRACKERS, more or less,
600 2lb cans SALMON, more or less,
1,150 boxes YEAST POWDER, more or less.

The above articles to be delivered at such times during the fiscal year ending June 30th 1877, as the Chief Commissary of the Department may direct.

Proposals must be accompanied by a guarantee, signed by two responsible persons and sworn to before some magistrate having authority to administer oaths, stating that if a contract is awarded they will enter into bonds for the faithful fulfillment of the contract.

Samples of the articles proposed to furnish must be submitted with the proposal.

Proposals for any part of the above will be considered, the U. S. reserving the right to reject any or all bids.

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For further information apply to each Acting Commissary of Subsistence of the Post concerned or at this office.

Envelopes should be endorsed "Proposals for—— at ——"
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Dreaming of kindlier, warmer suns,
Dreaming of happier hours,
We dwell in a future that never sheds
O'er our heads its living flowers;
In fancy we gather with eager glee
What fate dooms to perish in infancy.

The youth is dreaming of laurels won
On the battle-field of life,
He sees the hour of triumph near,
Nor recks of years of strife—
Yet his flashing eye shall be sunk and dim
Ere the victor's wreath may be wove for him.

The maiden dreams the dearest dream
The human heart may treasure,
Of a sun-lit home where faith and love
Flow forth in ceaseless measure;
Let her dream,—nor whisper the future brings
No rainbow hues on its darkening wings.

Let [illegible] dream—they will rouse at duty's call,
[illegible] for nobler doing,
[illegible] the light on her steel-crowned helm,
And turn from fancy's wooing,
And visions of love and of fame will die
[illegible] from the wintry sky.

[illegible] though the dreams of earth be fair,
God grant that a [illegible] sleep
[illegible] and the eyes that have learned too well
O'er waking thoughts to weep,
[illegible] shall [illegible] in their [illegible] sight,
[illegible] earth's [illegible] with a truer light.
—[illegible], in *Golden Hours.*

[illegible] party does not commend [illegible]. It does not endorse the [illegible] or the appointment of [illegible] the elevation of [illegible] to the [illegible] place. It shows [illegible] the [illegible] of Hayes and [illegible] of the loftiest [illegible], and of the best [illegible] of [illegible] upon a [illegible] form of honest reform [illegible]. And by that action it must and [illegible] Journal.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

[illegible] EVENING, August 30, 1876.

[illegible] New York, 110@110¼.

[illegible] buying 90; selling [illegible]; other coins, 95c.

[illegible] New York ½ per [illegible] New York ½ per [illegible]

[illegible] on New York 1 per cent.

[illegible] New York ½ per cent.

[illegible] ½ per [illegible]

[illegible] par.

[illegible] market with other departments of [illegible] the activity [illegible]. The improvement [illegible] and trans[illegible] the volume. The [illegible] supply of [illegible] [illegible] well [illegible] [illegible], how[illegible] the ob[illegible] of pros[illegible]. The [illegible] are by no means [illegible] as low as could be ex[illegible] what [illegible] amount of [illegible] on the [illegible] past, [illegible] utility, how[illegible] [illegible] gives rather a [illegible] of the [illegible] millions of [illegible] [illegible] the south, [illegible] up—that the [illegible] the power and [illegible] of 1873 are [illegible], and soon [illegible] spirit and [illegible] call[illegible] labor with the em[illegible] for which they have [illegible] for tedious months and years. [illegible] replies thus:

[illegible] in Mr. Colfax; and we [illegible] he saw being [illegible] the joyful harvest songs that greeted [illegible] and rubbed his fingers to [illegible] four that the goodness of [illegible] were the parents of his [illegible] a careful examination of [illegible] of the people and the nation. [illegible] our hopeful readers if we [illegible] are compelled to come down from [illegible] cold stubborn facts! Hear [illegible] Clearing House for the [illegible]

[illegible]	$17,811,728 40
[illegible] of 1876	22,471,136 75
[illegible]	$4,650,406 35
[illegible]	1,476,791 77
[illegible] of 1876	3,197,620 99

[illegible] are better evi[illegible] than any that can [illegible] see, in one of the most [illegible] the continent [illegible] per cent. [illegible] than during the [illegible] of 1876. Philadelphia is the only [illegible] tells a similar tale. With [illegible] and the [illegible] exceptional, in [illegible] Exposition. Her [illegible] July have [illegible] over [illegible] per cent. During the same month [illegible] 10 [illegible] 16 per cent.; Boston, [illegible] St. Louis, $7,800,000—8 per [illegible] per cent.; Chicago, [illegible] per cent. There has been a [illegible] banking [illegible] of the [illegible] years. And, according [illegible] estimations and calculations of [illegible] in his [illegible] address in New York [illegible] "[illegible] Conflict," this state of things [illegible] until the depletion of population, by [illegible] and migration, and the depreciation of [illegible] in values, shall be equal to [illegible] by the four years' war of [illegible]! This is not a pleasant picture [illegible]

Wheat and Wool.

[illegible] but little new upon which to comment [illegible] wheat market except a somewhat [illegible] towards tidewater and rather [illegible] to last portions, though the bulk of [illegible] is only just being threshed. In prices there [illegible] mentioned, and purchases [illegible] are reported at quotations. There [illegible] in the river ten vessels that may be classed [illegible] to the grain fleet, but of this number [illegible] are as yet without engagements, and ex[illegible] are apparently not eager to take up ships at [illegible] while the grain market prom[illegible]. Only a few farmers, so far, have shown [illegible] inclination to sell, the majority seeing nothing in the trade at present to warrant a belief that there is danger of any further decline, if they can see [illegible] of a permanent rise. Eastern Oregon and Walla Walla are sending forward their [illegible] quite freely, the average daily shipments [illegible] regions reaching 150 tons. The Willamette and Umpqua valleys are not quite so forward, [illegible] not being yet through their threshing, and the hauling being done generally to the [illegible] points of storage on the river or railroads. Three or four vessels only are yet on the berth, and they will have reasonable dispatch, though some of them have waited a long time.

The wool clip has nearly all been moved, and with the steamer to sail this week the bulk of the shipments abroad will have passed. Further exports will require less freight room. The aggregate product of the spring clip finding its way through this market this season, will reach nearly 3,000,000 pounds, an increase of 15 per cent. over last year, and that with low prices throughout. The market, however, has been very steady, and buyers have gained in courage from the start, so that those who would sell have had but little difficulty in finding [illegible]. A goodly number of wool growers have [illegible] to do their own shipping, and we [illegible] that the [illegible] has proved much more [illegible], than the attempt by farmers in former [illegible] to ship their own grain. Prices at present are generally unchanged, though choice lots of wool are occasionally taken at a slight advance on current quotations. The Oregon product has gone into the markets of demand this year in better shape and condition than ever before, a fact that will tend to increase the volume of trade in future seasons.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—For fair average lots, $1 25 per cental, sacked.

FLOUR—Quotable, best brands, $5 00 ⅌ bbl; good outside and country brands, $4 50@$4 75; fine and superfine, $4 00@4 25.

OATS—Surprise, 55c per bushel; good white, 50, black, 45c.

BARLEY—Choice brewing, $1 20@1 25; feed, $1 15 @1 20 ⅌ cwt.

MILL FEED—Bran, $18@20 ⅌ ton; shorts $22 50@25; chopped, middlings, etc., $27 50; oil cake meal, $37 50@40.

EGGS—Quotable at 25 cents per dozen.

POTATOES—Market well supplied at 45@50c per bushel.

ONIONS—As to quality, $1 25@1 50 ⅌ 100 lbs.

HAY—Choice timothy, baled, $14@$15; loose, $12 @$13.

LARD—Oregon made, fresh, in tins, 16@17c ⅌ lb; in kegs, 16c.

DRIED PLUMS—With pits, 4@5c; pitless, 14@15c ⅌ lb.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, solid, 15@20c ⅌ lb; brine, 20@25c; roll, 25@30c; fancy dairy, 25@30c; cheese, quotable at 18@20 ⅌ lb.

CHICKENS—Quotations range from $2 50@$4 00.

BACON—Hams, choice, 16@17c; common to choice 12@14c ⅌ lb; sides, 14c; shoulders, 9c.

FRESH MEATS—Beef, dressed, 5@5½c ⅌ lb; on foot, 1¾@2¼c; dressed hogs, 6@6½c ⅌ lb; mutton sheep, $2 50@3 ⅌ head.

WOOL—Choice Wallamet valley, 17c; common, 13@14c; Eastern Oregon and Walla Walla, 12 @14c, all according to quality and condition.

HIDES AND FURS—We quote best selected hides at 11c ⅌ lb; culls, ⅓ off; green, 5@6c; elk, 10 @15c ⅌ lb; deer, 15@25c ⅌ lb for dried, and 50@75c each, green; mink skins, $1 50 each; otter, $1@5 each; beaver, $ 75@$1.

Shipping Intelligence.

The British ship Dunnottar Castle, hence with a cargo of wheat, arrived at Liverpool, August 23d.

The barkentine Tam O'Shanter, from San Francisco, is discharging a cargo of assorted merchandise at McCraken's wharf.

The British ship Duart Bay lies at Flanders' wharf awaiting a cargo.

The brig Hazard is at Flanders' wharf discharging a cargo of assorted merchandise from San Francisco.

The steamship John L. Stephens arrived from San Francisco at 8 o'clock this morning.

The steamship Ajax, hence, arrived at San Francisco yesterday.

The bark Arminella hauled into Greenwich dock this morning and will soon begin to load.

The bark Corsica lies at the railroad wharf and will soon be loaded.

The ship St. Andrews Castle is at Corbitt & Macleay's dock, preparing to receive her cargo of wheat.

The barks Garibaldi and Edward James are still reported as in the market.

The two vessels reported as arriving at Astoria on Monday appear to have come unawares to shippers here, and we have not seen them down on any list of vessels on the way. They are the bark Helen and the ship Arden Colby, from Callao.

The Br. bark Downmemont was loading for this port at Newcastle, N. S. W., July 20.

The Br. bark Ellar Bank was receiving a cargo at Sydney, June 27, for this port.

The bark Mattie Macleay arrived at Honolulu on the 12th, from this port.

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Flour Superfine, $4@ $4 25; Extra, $4 75@5 for shipping lots, $5@5 50 for jobbing lots, last named payable in silver.

Wheat Shipping, $1 50@1 52½; selected parcels for local milling, $1 62½@1 67½; superfine, $1 35@ $1 40.

Barley—Feed, $0 [illegible]; new brewing, $1; old brewing, $1 10@1 25.

Oats—Fair, $1 60; good, $1 65@1 70; extremes, feed, $1 50@1 80.

Corn—Large yellow, $1 20; small round yellow and white, $1 25@1 30.

Rye—Warehouse lots held at $1 50; wharf lots will not command over $1 40.

Potatoes—Sweet, $1; other kinds, 60c to $1.

Gold closed in New York to-day at 110⅛.

[illegible] 90⅝ buying; [illegible] 91½ selling.

Half Dollars 6½@5½ per cent. discount buying; [illegible] selling.

Liverpool wheat market to-day, 9s 3d@9s 5d for average California; 9s 6d@10s for club.

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SEVERIN HOEFER,
HENRY W. DILG,
PETER WAGNER.

N. B.—Only a limited number of tickets will be issued.

Doubtful characters not allowed [illegible]

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon for Multnomah county.—James D. Walker, plaintiff, vs. C. M. Carter, Mary H. Carter, Thomas Carter, Minerva Carter, J. H. Moore, The Willamet Iron Works, Eunice Burrows, T. W. Pittinger, P. D. W. Hauttenberg, Ann J. Fleurot, R. B. Knapp and M. S. Burrell, copartners doing business under the firm name of Knapp, Burrell & Co., Francis O. Adams, J. G. Richardson, George P. Gray, O. Olsen, Ira F. Powers, S. M. Lyon, D. N. Walter, I. N. Walter, D. L. Walter, E. Walter, M. Walter H. N. Walter and I. Walter, copartners under the firm name of Walter Bros., defendants.—In Equity.—To Thomas Carter, Minerva Carter, O. Olsen and T. W. Pittinger, non-resident defendants: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and suit by the 9th day of October, A. D. 1876, the same being the first day of the next regular term of said court to be held after the expiration of six weeks from the first publication of this summons, and if you fail so to answer for want thereof the plaintiff will take judgment against defendant, C. M. Carter, for the sum of twenty eight thousand and five hundred dollars ($28,500) in United States gold coin, and for interest thereon in like coin at the rate of one per cent per month since May 24, A. D. 1876, and for two per cent on the amount of said sum of $28,500, and the interest which shall be due thereon at the date of taking such judgment, and for the sum of one hundred and thirty dollars, and for the costs and disbursements of this suit, and will take a decree against all the defendants declaring and establishing that plaintiff has a lien on those parcels or tracts of land in the city of Portland, in Multnomah county, State of Oregon, which are particularly described on the maps and plats of said city, as all of lot one in block two, and lot one in block seventy-seven, with the wharf thereon, and the wharf privileges in front thereof in the Willamette river, and also the parcel described as follows: commencing at the northeast corner of Columbia and Eleventh streets in said city, and running thence easterly along the north line of Columbia street two hundred feet to the west line of Tenth street; thence northerly along the west line of Tenth street one hundred feet, thence westerly and parallel with Columbia street two hundred feet to Eleventh street, and thence along the east line of Eleventh street one hundred feet to the place of beginning, to secure all the moneys for which the plaintiff prays judgment as above against said defendant, C. M. Carter, and that the said lien is superior and prior to the liens or claims of defendants against said property, and foreclosing the mortgages described in the complaint, and directing the sale of said lands as upon execution for United States gold coin, and that the proceeds be applied to pay the costs and disbursements of this suit, and the expenses of such sale and plaintiff's said demands against said C. M. Carter, and that any surplus be distributed among the defendants according to their rights, and barring, and precluding defendants and each of them from setting up, asserting or prosecuting any claim against or to said lands except as redemptioners under the statute. And you are further notified that Honorable E. D. Shattuck, Judge of the above entitled court, on the 23d day of August, A. D. 1876, at chambers, made an order directing the service of this summons on you by publication in the WEEKLY OREGONIAN for six successive weeks.

JOHN CATLIN and B. KILLIN,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between S. Ottenheimer and S. A. Heilner, under the firm name of S. Ottenheimer & Co., at Baker City, Oregon, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, S. Ottenheimer retiring. All outstandings due the late firm must be paid to S. A. Heilner, the remaining partner, and all claims against said late firm will be liquidated by S. A. Heilner.

S. OTTENHEIMER,
S. A. HEILNER.

Baker City, Oregon, Aug. 10, 1876.

S. A. Heilner, successor of S. Ottenheimer & Co., will carry on the business as heretofore, under the name and firm of S. A. Heilner & Co., and I hereby authorize Mr. S. Ottenheimer to receive and receipt for all moneys which he may collect for me.

S. A. HEILNER.

Baker City, Oregon, Aug. 10, 1876. au17d2w

DISTRICT OF OREGON, ss.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of J. B. A. Riviere, of Portland, in the county of Multnomah, and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on creditors' petition, by the District Court of said District.

EMMONS ARNOLD, Assignee.

Portland, Oregon, August 23, 1876. a24d1aw3tTh

CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ordinance No. 1803.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE TIME and manner of improving Alder street from First street to Twelfth street.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The proposed improvement of that part of Alder street lying between the west line of First street and the west line of Twelfth street shall be completed on or before the 1st day of October, 1876.

Section 2. The surface of the street shall be cleared of all timber, plank or other obstructions, (sidewalks, crosswalks, plank roadways and gutters of the proper width and grade and otherwise in good condition excepted. If the obstructions are not removed within three days after notice from the Superintendent of Streets they shall be removed by and become the property of the contractor.

Section 3. The improvement shall consist of laying plank gutters along the south curb line of Alder street, with box gutters at the intersections of cross streets, and all necessary grading therefor, the gutters along the curb to be 16 inches wide east of Fourth street, and 12 inches wide west of Fourth street.

Section 4. The provisions of sections 11 and 12 of Ordinance No. 793, entitled "an Ordinance in relation to the improvement of streets," shall apply to all lumber and material used in the improvement herein provided for.

Section 5. The contractor shall take entire charge of the work during its progress, and shall be responsible for any loss or accident resulting from carelessness or neglect.

Section 6. The improvement shall be completed to the satisfaction of the Committee on Streets and Public Property and the Superintendent of Streets.

Section 7. The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to advertise for, receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the improvement specified in this Ordinance.

Passed the Common Council August 21, 1876.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved August 22, 1876.

J. A. CHAPMAN,
Mayor.

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Ordinance No. 1806.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE TIME and manner of improving Morrison street from Second street to the center line of Fifth street.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The proposed improvement of that part of Morrison street lying between the west line of Second street and the center line of Fifth street, shall be completed on or before the 1st day of October, 1876.

Section 2. The surface of the street shall be cleared of all timber, plank or other obstructions (sidewalks, crosswalks, plank roadways and gutters of the proper width and grade and otherwise in good condition excepted. If the obstructions are not removed within three days after notice from the Superintendent of Streets, they shall be removed by and become the property of the contractor.

Section 3. The improvement shall consist of laying plank gutters along the curb and doing the necessary grading therefor.

Section 4. The provisions of sections 11 and 12 of Ordinance No. 793, shall apply to all lumber and material used in the improvement provided for by this Ordinance.

Section 5. The contractor shall take entire charge of the work during its progress, and shall be responsible for any loss or accident resulting from carelessness or neglect.

Section 6. The improvement shall be completed to the satisfaction of the Committee on Streets and Public Property and the Superintendent of Streets.

Section 7. The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to advertise for, receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the improvement specified in this Ordinance.

Passed the Common Council August 21, 1876.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved, August 22, 1876.

J. A. CHAPMAN,
Mayor.

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North Ninth Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Common Council of the city of Portland propose to improve North Ninth street from G to I street, by grading, laying sidewalks; crosswalks and constructing a bridge across Tanner Creek similar to the one on G street.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Aug. 18, 1876. au19d10t

Ordinance No. 1804.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CONstruction of a Fire Cistern at First and Vine streets.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The Committee on Fire and Water and Chief Engineer are hereby authorized to advertise for, receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the construction of a fire cistern of brick and cement of forty thousand gallons capacity, at or near the intersection of First street with Vine and A streets, according to plans and specifications to be furnished, provided, the cost thereof shall not exceed one thousand and fifty dollars.

Passed the Common Council August 21, 1876.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved August 22, 1876.

J. A. CHAPMAN,
Mayor.

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Street Improvements.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Portland propose to improve the following named streets by laying plank gutters (12 or 16 inches wide as may be necessary) along the south curb line, and box gutters across the intersections, with the necessary grading therefor:

Main street, West Park to Front street.
Madison street, East Park to Front.
Jefferson street, West Park to Front.
Columbia street, West Park to Front.
Clay street, West Park to Front.
Market street, West Park to Front.
Mill street, West Park to Front.
Harrison street, West Park to Front.
Hall street, West Park to Front.
College street, Seventh to Third.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Aug. 24, 1876. a24d10t

Fire Cisterns.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland until 12 o'clock M., FRIDAY, September 1, 1876, for furnishing material and constructing a Fire Cistern of forty thousand gallons capacity, at the intersection of First street with Vine and A streets, as provided by Ordinance No. 1801.

Also, a Fire Cistern of twenty thousand gallons capacity at the intersection of Fourth and Grant streets, as provided by Ordinance No. 1803.

The right to reject any and all bids is expressly reserved.

W. H. ANDRUS,
E. CORBETT,
D. F. HARRINGTON.
Committee on Fire and Water.

B Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Common Council of the city of Portland propose to improve B street between the west line of N. Tenth street and the west line of N. Twelfth street by planking the roadway 16 feet in width.

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Aug. 24, 1876. a24d10t

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon. In Bankruptcy. In the matter of Rudolph Schmeer and Simon Schmeer, Bankrupts, District of Oregon, ss. This is to give notice that on the 25th day of August, 1876, a warrant of bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon against the estate of Rudolph Schmeer and Simon Schmeer, partners, under name of Schmeer Brothers, of Portland, in the county of Multnomah in said District, adjudged bankrupts on their petition, that the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupts, to them, or for their use, and the transfer of any property by them, are forbidden by law, and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts to prove their debts, and to choose one or more Assignees of their estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at Portland, room No. 8 in Dekum's building, before H. H. Northup, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, in said District, on the 9th day of September, A. D. 1876, at 10 o'clock A. M.

ABNER W. WATERS,
U. S. Marshal for said District.

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GUARDIAN'S SALE.—By virtue of an order and license to me directed, issued out of the County Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Multnomah on the 7th day of August, 1876, I, Ann Kingsley, guardian of the minor heirs of J. C. Kingsley, deceased, will on the 28th day of September, 1876, at 10 o'clock A. M., sell at public auction, in front of the court house door, in said county, in separate parcels, to the highest bidder therefor, in U. S. gold coin, lots Nos. one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7) and eight (8), in block two hundred and twenty-eight (228), in the city of East Portland, in said county and State, the same being a portion of the real estate of the said minor heirs.

ANN KINGSLEY,
Guardian of the minor heirs of J. C. Kingsley, deceased.

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